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DIRECTORS MEET IN CONVENTION

Twenty First Annual Convention of the School Directors Association of Adams County in Session in the Court House.

With a large percentage of the members present, the twenty first annual convention of the School Directors' Association of Adams County opens on Thursday in the Court House. After the devotional exercises conducted by Rev. J. B. Bieber the address of welcome was made by the Hon. F. K. Taylor.

Mr. Taylor extended a most cordial welcome on the behalf of the citizens of Gettysburg, to the visiting directors of the county. He referred to the remarks of superiority of the school system over those in new during several years residence in different parts of the South. He said in part:

"A directors' institute 'is an excellent idea. It furnishes a means of laying the coals to the rust of these shortcomings and failures in the schools; a means of developing a new knowledge from which shall flow the sweet water of knowledge. Such a conference argues that you are deeply impressed with the responsibility of your position. If responsibility determines the honor of your office you stand high in honor.

"What investments of capital so counsel make the returns of the public schools? Some of you have your pupils once under your official supervision got to take lending positions in the community. Of what value is an education? The Manchesters have been of Boston, Mass., and a convict in answer this question, in these words: It was found that many children who left school at fourteen began work at $4.00 a week and at 20 they were receiving $12.72 a week. Graduates from the High School started to work for $10.00 a week, and at twenty five were receiving $20 weekly. The total earnings of the elementary school boy in the twelve years were $9723.50, while those of the high school boy in eight years were $17,-280. In our economical fear of putting aside or a $100 situation on a $6 week boy, should a $6 boy be kept on a job on a $10,000 or a $1,000 000 boy?

"But shall we secure education only on the basis of money returns? Does it pay? Is it led for a superior position? Does it pay for the resolved to open his pocks and fling out the beauty in the world?" Does it pay to push back one's horizon, and give long a wider view and clearer vision? Does it pay to live a high Ideals look? Is one in the most critical years of his life? Does it pay to have access to endowment himself to open up whole continents of possibilities in one's entire subsequent life? Does it pay to broaden one's sympathies and increase one's power to be actively? Does it pay to cultivate relation between a people and their needs? Is American to serve a purpose largely what our schools have made us. We take the place that these schools before the world largely by the fitting graduates from these schools. And you are concerned in making the schools that do this vital work. You are delving in the ore from which the immortal ship of state is to be finished."

The speaker was then referred to the appointment of the present course of study, declaring it contains the means of opening all the five windows of the soul. He agreed, however, with Dr. H. T. Harris, Harrisburg, State Commissioner of Education, who says that the most needed educational reform is "Currency and practice of elementary ideals of justice and adequate appreciation of the old education which trains the will, and that of the new education which develops intellectual insight and power of independent thought." This involves a continuation of the old method of hard work and discipline with nature study and practical investigation. The speaker referred to the advantages of centralization in the public schools, and closed with a word of praise for the directors in their respective work.

The response was made by the Rev. W. E. Finch, of Fairfield, and the first topic that was given by several of the delegates in the state convention calling of the work done there. John A. Gerlach, of Huntingdon township made an address on "Essentials of a Course of Study for Rural Schools." He was followed by Supervising Principal Edward S. Tolbert of Public Instruction

NEWS FROM THE RURAL ROUTES

Rapid Sawing Record. Still Killing Large Hogs. Spelling Matches not a Thing of the Past. Sale Season Opens.

A record for rapid sawing was made by J. D. Thompson, of route 10, on Tuesday when he sawed for Allen Barnes six and a half cords of wood in 1 hour of 1 1 minutes. The work was done with a two and a half horse power Waterloo Boy gasoline engine.

The season for hitting hogs is not yet over and a number of large animals are coming to the slaughtered at various places in the county. The most recent report was from the farm of Jonathan Bucher, of near Gettysburg, who reports killing three with weights of 787, 670 and 564 pounds.

Spelling bees are popular as ever in Adams County this year and almost every week one of the matches is held somewhere in this section. Surrounding communities have also caught on to this and the expert spellers are given plenty of opportunity to show their skill. On Thursday evening, February 8, a spelling bee will be held at Fairplay school house in Conewago township and there will also be a spelling bee at Bair's School, Friday evening, February 9th.

This week marks the opening of the sale season, for this year and the next eight weeks the people of the county will be given an opportunity to meet their trimmings to the sales. Some days have as many as six sales listed for the same day. Farmers are taking their immediate vicinity no matter in what part of the county they may reside. The News continues to print the announcements for the sales in large quantities.

Road supervisors have had their hands full during the past few weeks and they have gotten many of their neighbors to help in the work of opening the roads of the county. Some of the last week fretted sufficiently to hamper the roads and the work for the supervisors.

Miss Winifred Mehring, of near Gettysburg, entertained a party of ten of the weeks with friends and relatives on Thursday morning and evening.

Miss Mary Schaeffer, of Gettysburg, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Littlestown. Miss Schaeffer is of route 4.

EDUCATIONAL MEETING

The Education Bureau of Township will hold their county conference on Saturday, Feb. 24th at Bentley's school Mary A. Danner teacher. The following program will be rendered:

"Co-operation of School Work as a Means of Social Service"—Discussion led by Miss Howard and Miss Mary Bentley. "Vocational Guidance" by Miss McGuigan. "Wisdom of Evening," Every Schoolman by Miss Yingst."

SHOOTING MATCH

The following is the score of the shooting match held at the athletic park in the old gas Monday.

Jacob Hoke, 25 Pittsburgh, 5 out of 10; Chalon Culp, 11 out of 12; Pennsylvania, 5 out of 10; Geo. Cooper Culp, 10 out of 12; Melvin Warner, 11 out of 12; Harry Hoke, 10 out of 12; C. B. Hoffman, 5 out of 10.

Clay Weikert shooting ten targets, scored 9; Frank Hoke, 9; Harry Hoke, 9; George Culp, 9; Chalon Culp, 9; Harvey Seabrook, 9; Harry Hoffman 7.

CORN SPOILED

W. R. Cobean, of near Dillsburg, discovered a number of ears of corn in his corn bed spoiled for his. It was found that the corn had been husked and placed in piles from four to five days during the recent cold snap.

"Our Uncle."

Mr. Tolbert emphasized the need of appreciating the value of the child and the necessity for devoting to it their duty even though it be contrary to the sentiment of public opinion. The necessity for funds with which to carry on the work of the schools was brought out as was the small size of Pennsylvania's appropriation when compared with that of other and.

COUNTY PEOPLE TAKEN BY DEATH

Mrs. Levi Taylor Dies in Menallen township. Mrs. Ambrose Sanders Dies in Hamiltonban Township. Others Taken by Death.

MRS. LEVI TAYLOR

Mrs Catharine Taylor, wife of Levi Taylor, died at the home of her son Jerry Taylor, at West Point, Menallen township, at 11.30 Wednesday, aged 84 years, 4 months and 8 days, from pneumonia.

She leaves the husband and six children, Harvey and Jerry, of Menallen township; Mrs. Lucy Swann, of Biglerville; Mrs. Ida Brown of Hanover; Agnes and Ambrose Taylor, of Iowa. She also leaves two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Jerry Eppleman, of Aspers; Mrs. Edward Bream, of Biglerville and Abraham Hoffman, of Arendtsville.

Funeral Saturday morning from the home at 10 o'clock. Services at Bendersville Lutheran church, interment in the church cemetery. All friends are invited to attend the services.

MRS. DELIAH LITTLE

Mrs Deliah Little, widow of the late Joseph Little, died suddenly at her home in Hanover, Tuesday, February 6, at 1.30 p. m., aged 80 years, 2 months and 1 day.

She was a member of St. Mark's Lutheran church of near Littlestown, and moved to Hanover many years ago. She was known as a devout woman of Hanover and vicinity.

She is survived by two children, daughters, Mrs. William A. Clay, and Mrs. Jacob Bair, of Hanover.

She is also survived by two brothers, Jacob Hoffman, of Littlestown, and Adolphus Keefer, of near Seven Stars.

Funeral services were held at the house at the house at 1.30 p. m., Rev. A. M. Stahman, of St. Matthew's Lutheran church, Hanover, officiating. Interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery, Hanover.

MRS. AMBROSE SANDERS

Mrs. Ambrose Sanders died at her home near Fairfield, Monday, as the result of the heart. She was aged 70 years, 4 months and 4 days.

She is survived by her husband, three sons and two daughters, Mrs. Wilson M., George W. and Preston Sanders, Mrs. Harry Sanders, of Hamiltonban township, and Mrs. Andrew Wolfert, of Gettysburg. She is also survived by one brother, Jacob Miller, of Michael Sterling, of Fairfield; Wil. liam Miller, of Iowa, and Mrs. Lizzie of Hamiltonban township; and Mrs. Elizabeth Sanders, of Emmitsburg, Md.

Funeral Saturday morning at 9 o'clock conducted by Rev. J. H. Steenbrecher. Interment in Union cemetery.

MRS. ROBERT BAIR

Mrs. Robert Bair died at her home in Conewago township, Thursday morning of pneumonia.

She is survived by her husband and six children. Also her father, Samuel Stokes, of near Dillsburg.

The funeral services were held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock with interment in Conewago Presbyterian cemetery.

WANT MR. ROSENBERG'S HOME

In telling of the visit of the "south carolina" to Honolulu the "Pacific Commercial Advertiser" of that city has the following to say:

"There are many notable people aboard the U. S. S. Pennsylvania, flagship, Pennsylvania, is probably one of the best known men in the navy on the battle of Gettysburg, but his fame does not rest on that historic matter. He is said to have one of the finest collections of birds' eggs in the United States, a collection which has been years in the making. Admiral Rodgers and Mrs. Rosenthal Rogs, both of whom have made overtures to secure it if such be true."

HOW THE COUNTY MONEY WAS SPENT

Alms House Requires Fifteen Thousand Dollars. Cost of Prisoners at Penitentiary and Reformatory. Other Expenditures.

The report of the county treasurer and county commissioners for the past year shows that the alms house cost the county $15,000. The amount was derived with keeping prisoners at the Eastern Penitentiary was $1067.18 and the Huntingdon Reformatory $824.66. The county paid for the support of inmates at the State Lunatic Asylum $691.61.

The treasurer's interest and impudences to tax payers are contained in the following: The liabilities of the county over the assets amount to $21 766.54. The liabilities consist of outstanding bonds to the amount of $50,000. Interest on same $2,000. Jail $21,000 The latter item is $6000 less than the preceding year. The assets consist of $28,000 in outstanding taxes; $1074.81 due from the state for the $1,000 appropriation refunded for payment of county bonds; and a balance of $233.73.

The Court expenses during the year were $6202 84 while $4146 was paid to justices of the peace for summary convictions. Constables received for serving processes to the penitentiary, Commonwealth cases, etc., gave a total of $1426.50; advertising and printing cost the county $1562.79 while elections cost $1,000 and stationery $1,000.

Bridges, work and material connect, $2,000. Viewers, surveyors and the crowd, These present:

Jury commissioners, J. C. Thomas and wife, R. S. Myers and wife, S. Lewis Wible and wife, Jacob Bream and wife, S McElhatta and wife, H. Clay Bream and wife, Charles Blumdorf and wife, J. A. Kuss and wife, M. M. McDaniel and wife, Harvey Hoffman and wife, William Pitzer and wife, A. J. Wible and wife, Jacob Hoke and wife, John Snyder and wife, Mrs. J. Wesley Bream, Mrs. Jacob Bream, Mrs. Thomas, Helen Bischoffs, Margaret Bream, Miss Bream, Miss Bream, Miss

DESTRUCTIVE MIDNIGHT FIRE

Barn and Stock of Thomas Minter at Biglerville Destroyed in Blaze Supposed to have been Caused by a Careless Tramp.

Fire Saturday night destroyed the barn, with practically all of its contents, on the farm of Thomas Minter, at the edge of Biglerville exhibiting a heavy loss on which there is only $500 insurance. With the barn were burned two cows were horsed, together with implements and almost every thing else in the building.

It is supposed that the building was set fire either purposely or accidently by no one of the family had been about the barn late in the evening and it is generally supposed that some tramp who sought shelter from the cold was responsible for the destruction of the barn.

It was first discovered by Dr. C. L. Martinat of Arendtsville, who had been called to Biglerville on professional business, and by the time he reached the Minter place the barn was doomed. None of the family were awake and it was with difficulty that Dr. Martinus aroused them. By the time the alarm had been spread in Biglerville little of the structure was left standing except the frame work and one wagon was all that could be saved.

The Biglerville Fire Comnay was given its first opportunity to demonstrate its usefulness and it responded quickly reaching the suburbs service and with a large stream of water saving the wood house, shed and the other buildings standing between the barn and the house. The reservoir was full of water featuring night and a large of great force was employed to the fire and on the nearby buildings.

The need of connections which will enable more than one stream to be thrown was demonstrated by Saturday night's fire as it is understood that the Biglerville Company will immediately take steps to secure sufficient fire hydrants.

Many of the citizens of Biglerville Hieing at the east end of the town have a sinking of the heart Sunday morning and the need of some method of giving an alarm was also clearly in evidence. The cry of "fire" being the only means of information by people in the vicinity of a blaze. The insurance of $200 was carried in the Adams County Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

ARBUTS DECISION WITH CONCERN

William Heed, the accidental murderer of Sarah Matheson of Mont Alto, is awaiting in Franklin county jail with a concern which he does not conceal, the decision of the Supreme court on his attorney's appeal for a new trial. He has been much disappointed because a decision was not reached at the beginning of the week and has so expressed himself several times.

Heed has become more reserved and does not pass the time as lightly as he did immediately after his conviction. Imprisonment is affecting him, although his health is not impaired. Deputy Sheriff Kohr says "he is a model prisoner."

NEW ELECTIVES AT COLLEGE

The announcement bulletin of Gettysburg College just published shows the addition of several new electives subjects on which entrance credit will be allowed to the future. This will prove especially advantageous to candidates desiring to take an engineering course. During the last week, Dr. Kirby, head of the Engineering Department, gave a course of lectures at Yale University on "Engineering Specifications" for which field he has acknowledged expert. Prof. Kirby's book on Cement Testing is just out of press.

COLLEGE RE-OPENS

College re-opened here, after a brief recess following the first annual mid-year examinations. Many of the students living in nearby towns spent the recess at their homes while others visited elsewhere. Examinations are a dismaying fomal; it impossible to go a way and not surprised to say how.

TURKEY BOOMS STOLEN

Charles H. Witmer has received word from A. G. Sheely, Mechanicsburg, of a loose station at that place, in a "marvelous" condition. Weighing about 50 pounds, he is "part on his right front shoulder and a star on his forehead. Liberal rewards have been offered for the return of the boom and the capture of the thief.

YORK ROAD PROPERTY SOLD

Martin E. Hostetter, of Hanover, sold a part of property on the York road a double two-story frame dwelling house, to Mrs. Sarah Ann Hostetter, of York Township, and Mrs. Hostetter, of York Township, and Mrs. W. H. H. ... two miles from Hanover, to John S. Ammon, for the sum of $3,000, in April last.

BIGLERVILLE FIRE COMPANY MEETING

Fire Alarm for the Town and More Apparatus for the Firemen. Will Ask Town Council for Necessary Equipment.

Complimented on all sides for their excellent work at the time of the blaze fire on Saturday night, the Biglerville Fire Company met Monday evening to consider ways and means of securing the best service with the efficient and valuable to the property holders of the town.

It is generally conceded that poor water pressure and buildings on the higher farm would have been destroyed had it not been for the service given by the firemen who were efficient their duty expeditiously at the fire and who accepted the task in a most praiseworthy manner.

U. S. Minnigh, R. N. Rosy and E. K. Redlecsegger were appointed last Monday evening a committee in committee to take up with the town council the matter of additional fire fighting equipment. Several hose reels will be asked as the result of a proposition of on no old wagon which is enviously in use it is also difficult to get the hose off promptly can the score is reached. Additional connections with the hydrants and the council will be requested to look into the matter of giving the fire company a thorough and complete equipment

The establishment of a fire alarm system for the town will also be taken up. The plan now suggested one that a bell to rung from the telephone exchange. The cost of such a system would be installed with alarm boxes located in the portions of the township. Council will go over both these propositions.

CLAY MINES PLANNED

As soon as arrangements can be made Cumberland County will have several more extensive clay mines in the borden. If the plans of G. B. Abt, a wealthy resident of Mount Holly Springs, materialize. Mr. Abt is the owner of nearly 1,700 acres of land on the mountain side of Mount Holly. Within is the vicinity of Cleversburg, and one foot from the line of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad. On this property are extensive deposits of clay which has been analyzed the clay and was found to be of a very high grade.

DELEGATES TO CONVENTION

Petitions were filed Saturday to have the names of Grier Hench, of Spring-ville township, York County, and G. W. Keser, of Biglerville, Adams County, printed on the April 19 primary ballot as candidates for delegates to the congressional district to the Republican national convention, which will be held in Chicago June 7. Jesse E. Brenner, of York Haven, has filed his petition for the nomination delegate to the same convention and S. D. Meyer, of Littlestown, has also filed his petition as the Adams County alternate.

NEW THEATMENT

An undesirable character who was trying to pass off a counterfeit $5 bill in Bottstown borne Friday night was frustrated in his plans and arrested for a number of the young men of the town. The man in question is unknown and evidently intoxicated. He was first seen trying to get into a house through a window which dropped on him when he was about half way in. He was then chased and in a few minutes he was brought to the jail yard so fast his victim ascertain fast could take him while his pursuers had their shoes and other articles on the latter.

WATER COMPANY AN OCTOPUS

However is up in arm, against a proposed increase of 10 per cent Harrisburg Water Company. Burgess Shealy has called a public meeting to be held in the borough hall on Tuesday evening for the purpose of discussing the Burgess speaks of the water company as an "octopus which is sucking by prohibitory rates, to stifle the growth of our thriving town and to make the burden of the laboring man still harder to bear."

TO DISCHARGE BATE

The board of supervisors of the Modern Woodmen of America, in Chicago, stopped the proposed readjustment of rates by increasing the life insurance rates of the order. The decision was arrived at by a vote of 101 to 99. The plan adopted which was defeated by so few votes, was an increase rates of membership under 50 years old by from 60 to 100 per cent.

H. J. BRINKERHOFF 14 YEAR OLD BOY SUICIDES

Gettysburg's Oldest Citizen and the Oldest Resident of Adams County Died at his Home on Baltimore Street.

Henry Jesse Brinkerhoff, the oldest resident of Gettysburg and of Adams County, died at 11.30 Friday night at his home on Baltimore street, age 96 years, 11 months and 20 days. His death occurred exactly one year after that of his wife, who died on March 18th at the age of 96 years, while a boarder two years ago Mrs. Brinkerhoff's brother, John C. Shriver, died at the same home at the age of 96.

All three of this remarkable trio possessed their faculties up to the very last. They took a keen interest in the affairs of the town and country and talked of their good fortune in being able to spend such a long time in this world

Mr. Brinkerhoff was in good health until the last day of his life. On Feb. 28 he was married, getting out of bed, dressing and eating breakfast alone. About noon he went to sleep and never awakened, passing away in a gentle slumber in the evening. It is thought that the fall may have caused a shock to the system which resulted fatally.

Mr. Brinkerhoff was born on the old Conewago farm, now giving the Cleveland farm in Straban township where he spent the first twenty-three years of his life. In 1838 he married Sara Wills, of Littlestown, and moved to that place where he carried on the trade of tanner and shoe. Mrs. Brinkerhoff died about two years after their marriage, leaving one child, William Irvin, who lives on West Baltimore street.

In 1845 he married Catherine Stahl, of Mummasburg. She died in 1895, two children having preceded her, one, Henry J. Brinkerhoff, Jr., in infancy.

From the time Mr. Brinkerhoff moved to Gettysburg, in 1857, until a short year ago he was engaged in the leather business in this place, except for a few years when his age made it impossible to carry on the work himself. During this time, He was widely known in town and county especially among the farmers, and his death marks the passing of Gettysburg's oldest merchant.

In addition to his son he leaves the following grandchildren, Mrs. Harry David, Jesse, Reynolds and Wilbur, children of a deceased son; and the following great-grandchildren, Dorothy Brinkerhoff, Jr., Mrs. English, and John Lewis and Reynolds Brinkerhoff, Philadelphia; Henry Brinkerhoff, of Gettysburg; Catherine Agnes Brinkerhoff, and William Brinkerhoff, of Gettysburg; Jesse Brinkerhoff, of Lenra, and John Irvin, children of Mrs. William Irvin.

Funeral will be Tuesday morning from St. Francis Xavier church.

SCHOOL REPORTS

The following is the report of Fairplay school, Cumberland township, for the month ending February 28. Number enrolled: males 11; females 10; total 21; average attendance: males 9; females 7; total 16; per cent. 76. Those present every session every day during the month: Austin Miller, Elva Miller, Lloyd Isenberg, Pench Miller, Charles Miller and Walter Mehring. Those absent one day: Irene U. Fisch, teacher.

The report of Rocky Grove school, Franklin township, for the month ending January 26, is as follows: number enrolled: males 11; females 10; total 21; average attendance: 16. Those who were present every session: Nellie Keller, Ruth Keller, Sarah Kettenring, Miss Bower, Carl Hoke, Leslie, Lovers Gindlefter and Curtis Hoke. Those absent one day: Lottie Hoke and Donnell Keller each missed one day. Lewis Dinkle, teacher.

OWNS TWENTY DWELLINGS

Robert Small, executor of the estate of the late Ignatius Small, of near Mcllhenny, sold at public sale on the public sale a property in Mcllhenny town with a frontage of 70 feet, improved with a two story frame dwelling house, to Mrs. Delores Small, at $500 Mr. Delores now owns more than twenty dwellings in the town and besides the large tract of land along Main street. Mr. Small is a retired farm property, on which he has recently erected a handsome home. He is the present executor of the Small estate and owns one of the largest farms in Mcllhenny, stock, etc.

FOR CHURCH AND SHOOTING MATCH

A large crowd attended the shoot and shooting match at Bonneauville on Saturday. Harry A. Snyder, of Two Taverns, won the silver and Harry Orner, of Arendtsville, capped off the list.

SOLD THREE PROPERTY

S. P. Burke, has sold a tract of land on Fairfield road, to Harry Bream and Edith and Ruth streets, to Martin Winter. Terms private.

Lewis Allen Wolf, Former Resident of Gettysburg Suicides at Frederick.

Lewis Allen Wolf, fourteen years old, son of H. Clay Wolf, of Hanover, conductor on the Western Maryland railroad, committed suicide early on the 11:10 p. m., and leaving at 1:00 p. m. Wolf's residence Monday night by hanging himself in the cellar of his home in Hanover. The reason for the boy's taking his life is unknown, and the news of the tragedy came as a shock to all who knew him.

The suicide was carefully planned by the boy and was in the cellar, using a clothes line a box about 14 inches high placed a cage over it, tied one end to a nearby about his neck. Kneeling he had free room for the box setting free so that his feet could not touch the cellar floor.

The daughter body of the suicide was discovered by the father about 1:00 o'clock. He cut the rope and carried his son to an upstairs room, and hurried after a physician in a spirit of life remaining by 2. 11. Bittinger Coroner of Frederick. The physician examined the body and announced that the boy had been dead for some time.

Young Wolf was a pupil in the Hanover public schools in the seventh grade. He was conscientious and liked by all his schoolmates and those who came in contact with him.

WATHERDOG WANTS A COLLEGE

The executive committee of the Waynesboro Commercial Club held a meeting meeting discussed the proposition of the removal of Blue Ridge College to Waynesboro. Dr. Bell was present at the meeting.

The Blue Ridge College is an institution of the Church of the Brethren. It is flourishing and has an enrollment of about 100 students. Recently a large amount pleat has been put in operation near it and that fact has made necessary the selection of a new site for the school.

Several places are after the college Waynesboro is interesting itself. Hagerstown and Martinsburg are also. It is not known how much in addition to the property to raise to secure the college

It is stated that the removal of the college from Dalton Bridge will see several industries merged with the Blue Ridge school.

THE PEACH CROP

Lancster Jacques, one of the largest fruit growers in the vicinity of Smithsburg, reports that quite a number of his peach trees are dead, especially those on high ground.

Mr. Jacques says that from all the reports are above no elevation of 800 or 900 feet above sea level suffered from loss during the unusually cold weather recently. Other extensive growers in his vicinity give the same report.

Rohr F. Nicodemus, who has several large fruit orchards one his home in Hagerstown, reports practically all of his peaches withstood the cold spell and were not injured. Much of the crop however, in the vicinity of Zellingers, southeast from the city limits, he estimate he does not expect to reap more than 10 per cent of the normal crop.

DR. WEIGLE RESIGNS

After a pastorate of sixteen years in Mechanicsburg, Rev. Dr. H. E. Weigle, well known here, resigned his pulpit in Trinity Lutheran church Sunday morning. The announcement broke on a surprise to most people, and some say that Dr. Weigle will accept a call to the Lutheran church in Gettysburg, but this is not understood. ing for the past several years, in connection with his work. The Trinity Hill church has a large and growing congregation. It is now planning to secure of construction and a permanent pastor is selected. The resignation will take effect April 1.

BLEEDING PARTY

A sledding party from Hampton was caught in the storm of Mr. Tuesday. Mrs. Jesse Wolfe on Wednesday evening entertained in honor of Robert Ewart, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Chronister, Mrs. William Shoemaker, Miss Anna Albright, Mrs. Jesse Bream, Miss Ida Wampler, Miss Ruth Wolfe, Miss Florence Garber Ruth Wolfe, Miss Florence Garber Ruth Wolfe, Miss Florence Garber Ruth Wolfe, Miss Florence Garber, William Garber and Ellis Miller.

SOCIALIST CANDIDATE

J. Burton Mellinger, a former resident of Gettysburg, and a graduate of Gettysburg College, now residing at Conewago Council, has filed a petition for the Socialist nomination for state auditor on the Socialist ticket.

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SYNOPSIS

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CHAPTER VIII.—Lily tells Dan that she has refused Lord Calcrow because she loves Dan. Dan tells Lily that he is unworthy of her love. He says that he is a nobody. He tells her that he is poor. He tells her that he is in the employ of Prodigiously, Limited, and that he is a mere clerk. Then Lily tells Dan that she loves him.

CHAPTER XI.

Ruggles Gives a Dinner.

The bright tide of worldly London flows after and around midnight into the various restaurants and supper rooms, and so well known are the doors and halls of the Carlton, and one of the small tables bearing a card of reserve bunch of orchids and Ruggles had not seen the boy at his low, lazy laugh.

"Got it with you?" Dixie asked when he came in, and Ruggles replied that he didn't carry love letters around in his street clothes.

They could tell by the interest in the room when the actress was coming, and both men rose to Letty Lane as Dorian led her to the table with a crowd of last arrivals.

She was not dressed like evening with its tenderness that her dark simplicity of attire showed in contrast. The cloak which Dan took from her shed the perfume of violets that swirled the woman in a bloom of sparkling radiance. She stood there without cap of sparkle, and her blond head, from which a bright coronet of hair was the most brilliant thing about it, had her features drawn so fine that the street glimmed with dyes of gold beneath the transparency of the skin. Dan's breath caught at the sight of her, and he regretted a boy of his years

"Is this the street supper you spoke of? And you are awfully good to invite me."

Ruggles patted his shirt front and adjusted his cravat.

"My idea," he told her, "all the blame on me, Miss Lane. Cleanse it on to me! This here had Dixie's back from the first. He said you wouldn't come."

She laughed delightfully.

"He did? Hasn't much faith, has he?"

Miss Lane drew her long gloves off, touched the orchids with her little hands, as which the over ran the rings flashed, and went on talking in English, to whom she seemed to want to address her conversation.

"I've simply crazy about these flowers."

The older man shoved his plate away, drew champagne to himself, stirred it and chose the bunch, blame and orchids. Dixie Grover, from the start to finish—hope you'll like it. I would have added champagne cocktails and some chocolate soda water, only I thought you might not understand the joke."

Miss Lane beamed on him. Although he was unconscious of it, she was not fully at ease. She was not the kind of man she had expected to meet, especially to young Ruggles, who had been brought up in the best

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circles of society. Dixie was a short laugh. "But I guess you've out thinking—you're not the first woman to do that."

"Did it was Dan's voice that urged her. "Say, do go on. I was there when he got him by letter, and you was simply out of sight."

Letty Lane looked quickly, out of sight of Blairtown and everybody I ever knew. I wasn't out of sight at all. She lifted her glass of champagne to her lips. "Here's to Dixie Grover, wherever he is!"

She did not eat it, however, as the waiter brought on the supper, and it was that she was crazy about it.

"Is that a genuine Caviar?" Dan re turned to what she had been saying, "Miss Lane, I am crazy about it, and all over the place."

Ruggles quickly slit into a sort of melancholy. It was easy to be seen that he was in love with the girl. He saw her point and yet that it fascinated him.

"Just think of it!" he continued. "I never heard a girl say that she was crazy about you along the other night, and I was so pleased with her for it that I had made up for her that she was the most beautiful girl in the room, and now at the dinner, "He took me every night to see you dance until I balked, Miss Lane."

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London had gone mad over Letty Lane. Her singing and contour were the admiration of the town, and she had been known even to the newspapers as the "Kissing Queen" on account of her habit of the Xmas-tree party, with the reddest of cheeks and the brightest of eyes, and a set of mauche—the line of her brows and eyes straight, and her eyes large and as innocent and appealing as a child's—that their long lashes as they opened up like flowers. It was said that she would withstand the most appeal; that she had but to look to have her own way, and that she was then once she turned to Dan, emitting the sweetest of laughs, and instantly thinking of what he had heard Mr. Ruggles say for her, and then accepting their invitation he had taken pose as she did not, for he wanted to know. It had not been a night, as they flew about from one public, so every few minutes she would turn to Dan with a question, she so treat reputation was the proudest boy in London.

The thought repeated these things to himself he watched her beside the door of his car talking to Dixie Grover—rather she was—and behind the chauffeur, who had come to open the lower and unbracing. Ruggles tried to unprovoked, but he was not in the two unprovoked such other. It was strange to have to be so near and so approachable his sights of her face, the line of her hair, the set of her head, and footing. On the boards she had seemed to be a creature created only for the public alone. Her dress, cut low and short, showed her as a young boy-colt, bloomy, white as a lily, and her hair, which was as delicate as the petals of a white flower, had the light and luster of her golden hair by lights.

Ruggles could hear her say: "Dixie, I'm so glad you've come to me. I'm glad that I had a fortune in my way to help you. I'm glad that I've had the opportunity to be 'mother' for you. I've been down a little way your father sent me, and I've been so happy. I'm glad that it was for the Hills girl with the name of Dixie Grover, for it is a pleasure to think that I began my career as a boy myself.

The son of old Dan Blair said certainly, but he was not sure that he darned glad you did!"

"Dixie," she answered, "do am I. But," with some sharpness, "I don't like to be called 'mother.' It has never earned my way, I made a fortune for myself right."

"You mean the man you married?" Dixie asked, and Dan wondered what he reads you think that!" She threw back her head and gave a delicious laugh with the least possible note of bitterness. "I'm not married, old Job Rock! He day my type at all. I'm not married, but I never boast that I've been, but I never boast that I've been, and I've had my own choices, which but grown over-crowded, and I've had my own choices.

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CHAPTER XII.

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When Dan got up well on in the morning Ruggles had gone to the bank. One's thoughts turned from everything to Letty Lane, with fatigue he put her out of his mind, and came up bravely to meeting her, and the girl he had known slightly in the drawing room was now a part of his garden. Every time he saw his fortune he thought of her, and when he was rapped, rude and proud. The class of his fingers to her, of which he had been his father, and which he had been his father, and which he had been his father, and

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SENATOR MARTIN MARRIED IN CITY

Senator Martin and Mrs. R. L. Ziegler Married in Philadelphia Le Thursday, City Paper Tells of the Marriage.

Senator William A. Martin, of Lincoln avenue, and Mrs. H. L. Baugher, of Carlisle street, were married in Philadelphia on Thursday by the Rev. H. Hall Sharp, of Highspire. The Philadelphia North American gives the following account of the event:

"Stepping quietly into this city, State Senator William A. Martin, representing the counties of Dauphin and Franklin and a resident of Gettysburg, was married quietly to Mrs. Elizabeth Strickland, and last night was the happiest bridegroom who was considerably cheabling with glee as he thought of the surprise in store for his friends.

"The bride was Mrs. Ida Baugher, widow of Prof. Henry Lewis Baugher, of Gettysburg College. Mrs. Martin came to this city on business last Monday and registered at the Bellevue Stratford. The senator slipped into town on Wednesday night and registered at the same hotel.

"It was all set and dried. The senator wanted the wedding to be a surprise, so he kept it dark. He took some trouble to do this, too, for yesterday he bought his license from Mr. Cassell, an old friend, and McConnell was curious to know why he was here, while at the same time he was glad to see his friend. But Senator Martin was busy, and kept his secret.

"He managed to get away from Mr. Cassell only to come here to lose what Senator Flynn, of Pittsburgh, and those were good evenings. Senator Martin was not here to attend a session, he had a more lasting object in view, so he got away from Flynn, eventually he managed to evade all questions, and then appointed upon the scene, by prearranged arrangement, the Rev. H. H. Sharp, of Highspire, who is the bridegroom's son-in-law.

"There was quiet in the small parlor in the hotel and the two were made one. Then came a quiet supper for three in the hotel, after which the happy pair took the train.

"Now it seems that the senator's wife has four wits and him. Martin first four husband about twelve years ago. For eight years they have been the best friends, and it has long been suspected that they had matrimonial intentions.

"Last night the senator was highly elevated at the thought of the surprise that will come by his friends this morning. Bruce had slight fits with Senator and Mrs. McConnell, who are after the senator had been married, and never let slip a hint of what had happened.

"Senator Martin stands about six and a half feet tall. He is a Democrat, and has long been active in Democratic politics. He was first elected State senator in 1906, and was re-elected in 1910. In 1908 he was elected state senator, by 1908 he led an opposing ticket, and was elected again.

"He is one of the big land owners of Adams county, and is nearly seventy years old, but neither feels it nor looks it.

"Senator and Mrs. Martin will remain in this city until tomorrow night, and then go to Atlantic City for two days. They will return to this city before long the letter part of this month."

Letters of Interesting News From Adams County Towns

Personals and Items of News Interest from Various Towns in the County. What the People in the Different Sections are Doing. Entertaining Visitors. Services in the County Churches

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield, Feb. 9.—Dr. J. K. Glass has returned from Baltimore where he took William Hetrickstine, of near Grimmans, to the hospital. He operated upon for an abscess on the brain.

Dr. N. C. Trout, of this place, assisted by Dr. Dillsburg, of Gettysburg, performed an operation on Floyd Hartzell, of Carroll and Sanders, for an abscess on the lung.

Mrs. W. H. Low has been ill for some weeks.

Mrs. Henry Sanders suffered a stroke of paralysis on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. S. J. Lady, who has been visiting her sister, Amos Frey, has returned to her home at Abilene, Kansas.

Miss Grace Hoover is spending a week among friends in Chambersburg.

Mrs. Philip Harbaugh, of Pitts burgh, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. John Good and son, Clarence, of Biglerville, were over Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Good's sister, Mrs. David Shelley.

Mrs. Reuben Frey and daughter have gone to Hagerstown to visit relatives.

D. R. Marshall was a business visitor in York this week.

Preaching services will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall in this place, Wednesday and Thursday, February 14th and 15th.

Guy McClintoglhe is spending some time with relatives in York.

Merrill Marshall spent Sunday with his family in Hanover.

Miss Sarah Stoudter, of Shermansdale is visiting her sister, Mrs. Horace Bream.

ARENDTSVILLE

Arendtsville, Feb 9—At this writing we have genuine general fall weather that keeps the mercury down to zero and at the time of Mrs. H.

Last Friday Daniel Arendt, a citizen of this place, was elected the justice in his yard and fell and has been confined to the house since.

Arthur Rice, of the firm of Rice Brothers, of Biglerville, who has been ill during the last week, has been home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rice, of this place. His condition is improving.

Mrs. Arthur Sadler, of near this place, who had been confined to her bed during the last week or ten days, is able to be up again.

Local carpenters have been busy all winter finishing up some of the houses they put up late last fall.

Hiram C. Hartzell spent Saturday in Harrisburg visiting his father, Amos H. Lady, who has been ill for several weeks.

George F. Lupp of Steelton, his nephew, Lloyd Lupp, of Aspers, were visiting in the home of John F. Lupp and family on Sunday last.

Mrs. Amos D. Sheely and Mrs. J. W. Pettis have gone to Harrisburg for a few days' visit among friends.

Mrs. Downey Lower is visiting relatives in Hanover.

Edwin Rice is attending State College in home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rice for a few days

LATIMORE

Latimore, Feb. 9 The Ladies' Aid Society of the Gardner & United Brethren church met at the home of Mrs. H. George Sheffer on Saturday afternoon. The following officers elected the following officers for 1912: president, Mrs. J. W. Bowers; vice president, Mrs. O. E. Heller; treasurer, Mrs. E. J. Hiller; secretary, Mrs. Edward Power; assistant secretary, Miss Emma Sheffer.

On O of 4, a held their annual supper in the hall in this place Wednesday evening, January 31.

An enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Edward Shultz and wife on Thursday evening, February 8, in honor of Mrs. Shultz's 30th birthday anniversary.

The 12th educational meeting of Latimore township, was held at Beck's merry school house Friday evening, February 9.

C. D Hunderoff, G. E Heller, C. E Hoffman, Jacob Hoke, E. I. Sheffer, E E Brough, H. A. Brough, H. H. Hoffman, C. E. Hoffman, J. G Prue are spent Thursday in Harrisburg.

A. W. Gardner, Esq., and C. E. Hoffman made a business trip to Mt. Wolfe on Saturday.

C. W. Sepp and family spent Sunday with John Sepp and family.

George Coberly and wife, of near New Chester, were recent guests of C. E. Hoffman and family.

Mrs. W. E. Brough and son, Edward, spent Saturday and Sunday in York.

Mrs. L. L. Lewis is spending the week in Baltimore.

Mrs. W. G. Group, who has been ill for some time, is not much improved at this writing.

YORK SPRINGS

York Springs, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Grant Fasnacht and son, John, of Lehmont, were the guests of Mrs. Ella Stentzel, of Huntington township.

Mrs. Samuel Hemmick is visiting friends in the vicinity of Mt. Pleasant.

Minibel Hobbs and wife spent Wednesday in Hanover.

C. E Knaub and wife spent Wednesday with Mrs. Sarah Knaub.

Mrs. Charles Lose visited her sister, Mrs. Howard Yantis.

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Krolltown, Feb 9—Preaching service at Red Run Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. A. G Fretterd, pastor. The series of meetings held at Red Run by Rev. W. H. Hilbe, closed Saturday evening. They were interesting and well attended.

Charles K. Griffin and wife, of New Oxford, who spent last week with his brother, C. T. Griffin, and family, returned home Friday.

The sale of J. C. Baker was fairly well attended Saturday.

George Frazer, a son of F. W. Hoover, is ill with pneumonia at present.

The Krolltown scholars are busy practicing for an entertainment to be held in the near future.

Miss Esther Gault is spending a fortnight home for Mt. Clemmons.

M. H. Deardorff finished stripping his tobacco crop last week.

Mrs. Harry Hoover called on Mrs. Griffin and Mrs. M. H. Deardorff Monday afternoon.

John Krall lost a valuable horse by death Sunday morning.

Wilson Myers and F. W. Hoover spent Tuesday at East Berlin on business.

C. T. Griffin and wife spent Wednesday in Dillsburg on business.

Quite a number of farmers of this vicinity attended the horse sale of A. A. Graver at East Berlin Saturday.

A dance was held at the home of Noah Hoffman and family Tuesday evening.

NEW CHESTER

New Chester, Feb 9—Mrs. Newman, of near Dillsburg, is spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Laleah Bowers.

Harry Little and family and Mrs. Elizabeth Little, of Gettysburg, were Wednesday with J. T. McIntire and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Deardorff, of near Round Hill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Deardorff.

Mrs. E. E Dietrich is visiting her son-in-law in York.

Duff Wood, of York, spent Sunday with Howard Bowers and family.

Messrs. Ralph Hoffman, John George, Jr., spent Saturday in Hanover.

Mr and Mrs Charles Decker, of Hunterstown, and Mrs. Lizzie Brown, of New Oxford, spent Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Bowers.

Miss Georgiana Trimmer spent Saturday with Colin Weaver, of near Hampton.

Miss Maud Wierman, of near York Haven, is spending some time with L. T. Ehrehart and family.

Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Wolf spent Thursday with his brother, Haywood Wolf and wife of Hunterstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Shank, of Centre Mills, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bowers, on Wednesday.

Sanker and Charles Shenk, of Biglerville, visited on the same day.

A large silver poplar shade tree valued at $100 was cut in the J. W. Wolf man was split by the extreme cold on Wednesday night. It had been a large tree up the trunk about nine feet.

CHURCH NOTICES

UNITED BRETHREN

Preaching at Salem at 10 a. m. at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. The pastor requests all officers of the Sunday school to be present Sunday evening.

YORK SPRINGS REVIVAL

Revival services will be held in the Church of God at York Springs. The after meetings will be held in the Methodist church. Thirty four have bowed at the altar to date. The community holds the meetings. Regular services at 9:30 a. m. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. A. C. Logan, pastor.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 1.30 p. preaching by Bishop Hollinger of Virginia. Prayer meeting at the church by Rev. B. F. Lightner.

ST. JAMES LUTHERAN

Rev. J. S. Baker will preach in the morning on "The Elder Brother" at 10 in the evening. Sunday School and "The Prodigal Son."

ST. MATTHEWS LUTHERAN

Sunday School at 9:30 in the morning. Preaching by the Christian League at 6:15 in the evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Rev. Ott, pastor.

SEES RUIN IN STEEL IS CUT

Schwab Says Present Tariff Rates Are Necessary.

THREATENS TO QUIT TRADE

Declares He Will "Cash In" and Quit the Business If Democratic Tariff Program Goes Through.

Washington, Feb. 9 — Charles M. Schwab, the steel magnate, of Bethlehem, Pa., testified before the senate finance committee on the possible effect of the lowered tariff rates on steel bills.

He said the Underwood rates on heavy steel products would be of most serious consequence to the steel industries in the eastern states, and introduced to make plain his own attitude.

"On many occasions I have said that, with equal conditions, we are said to be as cheaply in the United States as in any country in the world," said Mr. Schwab. "This has been construed into a statement that we can produce as cheaply here as elsewhere. That I have not said, and I do not say.

"With the same conditions, especially with labor as cheap, we ask no protection, but the labor account means that we have to pay $1.50 a day miles from New York it costs as much to put our steel there as it does to bring it from Sailand I consider the present tariff rates necessary to the prosperity of the steel business. Most emphatically I am opposed to any reduction."

Mr. Schwab went on to say that without protection he would want to cash in and get out of the steel business. He said he would regard as wanted this statement to be understood as a threat to withdraw.

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Mr. Schwab was asked if the lower scale of the Underwood bill would affect the earnings of the steel industry.

"That is a question," asked Senator Stone. "Oh, I haven't any," replied Mr. Schwab, laughing. "I don't mind telling you why I am in this business. I am in it because I have been so long at it, so children to leave it to, and I am interested in it as a money enterprise; but I want to say that if these rates are cut I will get out."

Mr. Schwab admitted that he got $2 a day for his labor and rates for that sold here.

"Sometimes we even sell abroad at a loss," he said, "because the average cost is thereby reduced. That has been that of a small production, it is necessary to maintain the output to keep the machines going all the time."

Mr. Schwab said that he could be made in China for $7.50 per ton, and that he could import steel from there for his San Francisco works through the Panama Canal freight free.

Steel rails cost in this country from $28 to $30 per ton, he said, and in Europe from $18 to $20.

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Moose Crowns Lake Superior an Isle.

Calumet, Mich., Feb. 8.—Lake Superior, for the first time in years, increases over from Eagle river in Isle Royale, a distance of 40 miles. It is the belief of residents of Eagle River that the lake will remain frozen solid the big lake. Keweenaw Point people have been crossing on the ice since Saturday the last few days, and if the lake is frozen solid the bonds created on the ice from Canada.

Seven Subpoena on J. J. Hill.

Washington, Feb. 8.—James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, has been subpoenaed to appear before the senate lands committee to testify before the timber land investigating committee. The committee is investigating the so-called Hill lease of the Flathead Indian reservation to the United States Steel corporation.

RECOMMEND THE PAVING OF THREE TOWN STREETS

Highway Committee after Thorough Investigation Recommends Paving with Asphalt of three Principal Squares. Council to Visit York

Definite steps towards the paving of Gettysburg's most important streets were taken at Tuesday night's meeting of the town council when the highway committee made a favorable report on the probable cost of such work and recommended that streets with asphalt of the first square of York, Chambersburg and Baltimore streets the report of the highway committee on the matter is as follow:

"In compliance with the suggestions of numerous citizens and taxpayers of the borough of Gettysburg the highway committee has investigated to some extent the question of the permanent improvement of the borough streets. As a result of your committee's investigations we submit the following:

"That the most economical and satisfactory method of improving the streets as a whole, while recognizing the advisability of the use of macadam in certain of these offices, and while of the opinion that such macadam should be used in preference be made to the advantage of the Belgian block, is of the time being that in view of the present condition of the streets of the borough and in view of the fact that there need be a thorough and extensive system of paving work required for the next twelve months it would be impracticable at this time to make a change from the present system and for that reason report in favor of asphalt paving.

"The report of the committee was unanimously adopted and referred to the second street commissioner. No action was taken regarding the visit to York next month. The matter of electing a borough engineer was also deferred.

ENGINE HOUSE REPAIRS

The property committee reported that it had contracted with the engine house that it would cost in the neighborhood of $1,000 to buy a concrete floor to replace the present floor which has proved to be unsafe and that it is impossible to attach the engine to the connection of hose in the house unless the water warm in the engine. The report was received and the committee given by one patriot or $100 while another contributed $50. Both of these twenty cents an hour. Council to furnish the material. It was estimated that the cost of installing a new floor, which would also keep the water in the engine warm, and the heater mantels would cost $500 The report of the committee was accepted and they were requested to make recommendations at the next meeting of council.

OTHER MATTERS.

Dr. Siegmaster appeared before council to ask for information regarding the proposed paving of the street leading toward the extension of the Gettysburg-Harrisburg trolley line to Arendtsville. He was informed that no action would probably be taken until the spring.

The light committee reported that the material for glazing of light at the corner of Broadway and Carlisle streets was damaged and recommended that glazing would be required if work was done on the lights in the near future. Council decided to allow the committee to have the work done if it was deemed necessary

The report was received from Merrill Winter for a Tangent light at the intersection of Carlisle and Broadway streets The question was referred to the highway committee with instructions to report at the next meeting.

The following petition, signed by a number of citizens, was presented and read: "We, the undersigned citizens of Gettysburg, Pa., in the borough of Gettysburg, do hereby petition your honorable body to have a Fourth street be erected and opened to the width of fifty feet from the end of the present York turnpike and straight angles with the northern line of Martin Winter, the W. M. R. R. Co., R. Lee Tipton, Mrs. Mary Tipton, and Charles Haar to the intersection with an alley to be opened, said alley to run parallel with the present Third Street, north of the alley on the north side of York turnpike and west of the line of the W. M. R. R. Co., to abandoned and closed and vacated." Signed by C. W. Bikert, C. R. Bosser, E. P. Miller and R. Lee Tipton. Referred to committee on streets.

Because of the fatal railroad wreck which the John Vogel mineralcoal company was in several weeks ago the company has decided to suspend work for a number of weeks, including the pay days at the Wizard Theatre, February 18.

MORE BOWLING

Veterans 1400, Comrades 1341 was the score of the duck pin bowling match at the Monarch Cigar Store Tuesday evening.

VETERANS

Fritch	94	105	98 — 297
Ira Black	79	89	94 — 262
Stahn	79	90	98 — 274
Smith	102	86	89 — 277
Ed Pfaeh	99	117	118 — 330
	453	487	497 — 1400

COMRADES

Smiley	98	89	90 — 277
Miller	91	95	71 — 256
Wolf	87	87	87 — 261
Rogers	87	91	97 — 275
Hamer	97	112	93 — 302
	444	495	448 — 1341

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

The following letters remain in the Gettysburg post office uncalled for, February 13, 1911:

Prof. Francis Harvey Gross, Morgrave, N. York.

Parties calling for these letters will please state that they were advertised.

O. Wm. Beales, Post Master.

TO OPEN SEASON

The first ball treatment of the University of Pennsylvania shows what it can do when it takes the field at Franklin Field, Saturday, September 28, with the Gettysburg College team.

DR. LEONHARDT'S DISCOVERY

Will Cure Any Case of Kidney Trouble or Who has Piles ——— Backache, Rheumatism, Etc., Etc.

Leonhardt of Lincoln, Nebr. for years of the kidneys of a successful remedy, when he recently which livens up the the entire bowels. Dr. Leonhardt's Discovery is SEE RICH, Sole Agent The People's Drug Store, Gettysburg, and all druggists at $1 for Forty days' treatment. Guaranteed to give satisfaction. Dr. Leonhardt Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for booklet.

GETTYSBURG MARKETS

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouse as corrected for the week ending Feb. 13, Successor to J. Geo. Wolf's Sons Co.,

Per Ton

New Dry Wheat	$0
Rye Corn	00
New Oats	00

RETAIL PRICES

	Per 100
Scarcee Dairy Feed	1.50
Schmaker Stock Feed	1.50
Schmaker Horse Feed	1.50
Coarse Spring Bran	1.35
Corn and oats, per hundred	1.45
Corn and Oats Chop	1.60
Red Dog Flour	3.00
Red Middlings	1.50
Corn Meal	1.70
Rye chop	1.60
Mixed chop	1.60
Timothy Seed	$7.00 per bu
Cement	$1.10 per bu.

Flour	$4.50
Graham flour	4.50
Rye	3.75
Wheat	85
New Ear Corn	65
Shelled Corn	70
Oats	55
Western Oats	60

PUBLIC SALE

ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1911

The undersigned, intending to locate, will sell at his residence in Straban Twp., 2½ miles west of Hunterstown, 4½ miles northeastward of Gettysburg, 10 miles from the intersection of Carlisle, York and Harrisburg pikes, the following personal property viz:—

1 Head of Horses and Mules, 1 pair black mules coming 4 years old, weight 17 hands high, both leaders, the one in the middle coming 4 years old, weighs when young, 1 bay mare rising 12 years old, weighs 1,200 lbs., in foal to Jersey mule colt; 1 dark bay mare rising 12 years old, weighs 1,200 lbs., in foal to Jersey mule colt; 1 dark bay mare rising 7

THOSE TAKEN BY HAND OF DEATH

Edmund Spoonseller, well Known Resident of Mount Pleasant Township, Dies after a Lingering Illness from Dropsy.

EDMUND P. SPONSELLER

Edmund P. Sponseller, a well known resident of Mount Pleasant township, died at his home on Monday afternoon about 2 o'clock after a lingering illness from dropsy. He was aged 59 years.

Mr. Sponseller was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sponseller, both deceased. He was a well known farmer and for many years was also actively engaged in selling defunct several times as the Democratic nominee for sheriff.

He leaves his wife who, before marriage, was Miss Jennie Mackley, and one son, Edmund, at home. He also leaves the following brothers and sisters, Rufus S. Sponseller, near New Oxford; Amos Sponseller, Mount Pleasant township; Mrs. Jacob Horner, near Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. Edward Slifer, of Littlestown; Mrs. Jacob Forry, of near Littlestown; Mrs. Jacob Bair of Mount Joy township, near Two Taverns.

Funeral from St. Luke's church, of which he was a member, on Thursday morning at ten o'clock conducted by the Rev. F. E. Lindaman. Interment in the cemetery adjoining.

FRANCIS WILLIAM LANSINGER

Francis William Lansinger, for many years a resident of this city and a leading butchering and contracting firm of Frederick County died at his home on Broadway Wednesday. He was in the 77th year of his age.

Francis William Lansinger was born in Littlestown in 1835. He left Littlestown when a boy and learned the trade of Cassia Jacquinet Tyson, of Emmitsburg. Later he engaged in the carpenter and contracting business with his brother, Mr. Bussard Tyson. For several years they conducted this business. Subsequently they erected several fine buildings including the present commodious home of St. Joseph's Academy and College.

The Presbyterian and Reformed Churches, Emmitsburg, also the Methodist Church at Graceham, and other buildings are the work of this firm.

MRS MATILDA KLINE

Miss Matilda Klinefelter, died at her home in Hanover, at 2.45 a. m. Monday, aged about 70 years.

She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Klein, and was born and lived in Hanover. Surviving are Mrs. Abbottstown, until 1906, when she and her brother, Henry Klein, moved to Hanover.

Besides her brother, she is also survived by three nephews and two nieces —Francis Klein, Littlestown; Augustus and Vincent Klein, Mrs. Charles Smith and Miss Alphonsine Klein, of Baltimore.

Funeral Wednesday, Feb. 7th, with mass of requiem in St. John's church at 9 a. m., Rev. J. A. Reiter celebrant. Interment in St. Joseph's church cemetery.

JACOB HAHN

Jacob Hagle died at his home in Lewistown Thursday, February 1, at 11 P. M., at the age of 69 years.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob "Hagle, Sr., of Berwick township. He is survived by his wife, who before marriage, was Miss Alice Dove, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dove, late of Heidelberg township, and one son, Oliver Hagle, also deceased. He also survived by four sisters. Mrs. Jacob Goodenough, Mrs. Jacob Hoke, Mrs. George Williams and Miss Mary Hagle, residing with the exception of Williamsport, all living in Berwick township.

Funeral Sunday, February 4 services at the house at 2 o'clock, and at St. Rob. Trinity Reformed Church, Hoverville, officiating Reformed in Mt. Olivet cemetery, Hanover.

JOHN S. RECK

John S. Reck, a resident of S. Third street, of this place, died in Baver, Pa., January, 31st.

The body arrived on the 9.15 train Saturday and was taken to Mt Joy church where funeral service was held by Rev. F. E. Stockslager.

RECS MUST BARS

The State Supreme Court of Penn sylvania handed down a decree Monday affirming the judgment of the Franklin County Court, Judge W. Rush Gillan, in the matter of the conviction of members of the Ku Klux Klan.

Sentences of the court mean that William F. Reed, will be confined for a long as a date to be set by Governor Tener, for the second time, and that on May 5th last, review the Board of Pardons committee will be asked.

VIOLATION OF QUARANTINE

Information to be Laid against Wm. Menchey Charged with Violating Diphtheria Quarantine. Another Case Appears in Town.

Information was laid by Dr. Henry Stewart, secretary of the Board of Health, against Wm. Menchey, of West High street on a charge of violating quarantine regulations.

May Menchey, the fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Menchey was found to be suffering with diphtheria on Friday afternoon and as soon as the case was reported a quarantine was placed against it. It was reported to Dr. Stewart that Mr. Menchey had been seen on the street and that his children also had been out, one of them attending St. Joseph parochial school. Dr. Stewart, the health officer, was at once sent to interview Mr. Menchey and was informed that he, Mr. Menchey, had been out and intended to go out again on the evening. This was at once conveyed to Dr. Stewart and the necessary steps toward legal action against the father were taken.

The law governing quarantine at present requires that persons engaged in any business provided they have complied with all the requirements from the health officer may continue to do so. The Board of Health, Tuis Mr. Menchey had not been notified and was permitted him to come within the provisions of quarantine regulations and accordingly considered necessary. It is presumed that Mr. Menchey will be ready to go about, that the patient be confined to the house and intimated that they shall not come in contact with other persons or other families.

On Saturday evening, it is said, Albert Menchey, a young son, came down town and was out with some of his sister had diphtheria. He succeeded in getting as far as Harry Myers where he is now staying. The health officer was notified Sunday afternoon and applied for admission to the house but was refused, saying he had been referred by Prof. Bongeo and that no physician from this city would have to remain out. The drastic measures that have been taken in order to put by the members to be absolutely sure that no contagion will be allowed in town to prevent the spread of diphtheria in Gettysburg.

Up to the present time only three cases have been reported, Elsita Creeie, Robert Hall and Miss Menchey. Dr. Bell child is very ill but hopes are entertained for its recovery owing to the proper observance of quarantine regulations. It is hoped that no other cases can be stamped out before it gets a start in this town, for the suffering and sorrow may be avoided in that way.

"GROUND HOG"

The Harrisburg Telegraph says:

John Sleese, of the commissioners' bureau of the State Department of Agriculture is to be second term as ground hog for the department on Groundhog Hill. Generally that singular animal is supposed to come out and look on any one's head and the Adams Express Company, Washington, D. C. Sent. Ken Sutton, Slocum House, Sleese has been on the job for years. Mrs. Sleese, Mrs. Sleese, Mrs. Sleese,

NEWS FROM THE RURAL ROUTES

Some Hammers' Hail the Scene of a Big Bothering. Spring Chicken Prospects. Fest Cord Shower still in Vogue.

Squire Hammers' Hell, on route 4, was the scene of an entertainment Saturday evening given by twenty young men of Highland township. It was attended by between four and five hundred persons and an admission fee of only five cents was charged to which the children were admitted without charge. A net income of $16.00 was realized during the course of the evening. Squire Hammers surprised with a basket of provisions, which left less than 10c packs to the audience.

If other county reps or no notes prising as Wm. A. T. Moore, of route 3 there is still to a large crop of spring chickens in his section this year. Last Thursday Mrs. Myers got a large lot of fine peeps from the best 'winning' strain of the world the most extensive exhibitors going in this shape. Mrs Myers was loaned last week with a screen cold.

The thoughtful custom of observing persons' birthdays with post of card "showers" is still carried on here and one of the most recent recipients of such a remembrance was Mrs. Jacob M. Beyer, of route 6, who received 101 cards on her birthday last week. It was the seventy seventh anniversary of her birthday and her numerous friends wish her many more years of happy life.

Mrs. H. W. Albright, of near town, has returned to her home after spending ten days with her son, Dr. Albright, in Hanover.

Misses Blanche Cassatt and Amelia Kunkel spent several days recently at the home of Jefferson Cassatt on route 12.

John M. Wiseman, of route 12, is spending a few weeks with old friends in West Chester and Pittsfield, pals.

Walter Brothers, of route 7 purchased a Rutland gasoline engine and shopping mill.

SCHOOL REPORT S

Report of Germano school, Hamiltonban district, for month ending January 30. Number enrolled 30; average attendance 28. Those present every day during month: Mary Dick, Ethel Kerlinger, Roy Hoke, Byron Cass, Mary Dick, Ethel Sleet, Kurt Sweeny, Mildred Baumgardner, Ethel Myers, Grace Cass, Dorothy Sleichter, Ruth Boyd Olive Kinsely, Margaret Cross Robert Sopp asked one to spell.

Following is the report of Liberty Hall school. Literary Society for the fifth month ending Jan 29 W. Fowler Hall absent. Number enrolled 41; average attendance 38. Those present every day during month: Harry Sanel Elker Leonard Sanders, Blaine Sanders, Harry A Wible, Earl Hoffman Howard Sanel Jacob Small, Thomas Small, Ellsworth Small, Ethel Esther White Sarah Ann Wible, Elizabeth Elker, Mary Cook, Grace Small Grace Carbaugh Nellie Hoy mobb, Walter Kuntz and Joseph Coo mobb were one half tardy. Mary Grace Clarence Kugler, Herbert Sealmark and Mary Small each missed one day.

TUBERCULAR CATTLE TO BE HRANDED

The state live stock sanitary board has been informed by the federal animal hail that it has authority to put into operation July 1, a law whereby tubercular cattle to be branded with a letter T. For years cattle have been condemned by dangerous medical men with a meter bag, attended by a cough, but more permanent mark being desirable, the board answered the request. Heretofore the question was raised that such practice might subject those who failed to prosecution for cruelty to animals." The federal government says that branding if done in a careful manner, may be done with the hot iron hoped to interest the Pardon Board, but eventually they dropped the matter.

BIRTHDAY SOCIAL

A very enjoyable birthday social was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Fossen, Bendersville. Those present were: Mrs. Mary Fossen, Clarence Fossen, Mrs. Heller, Mrs. Cullings, Elva Thomas, Bessie Cook, Mary Cook, Donald Cook, George Sleichter, Ronald Heller, Hazel Cullings, and Clarence Funk, of counsel for Hilbert, Friday, Mrs. Sallie Hilbert of the Big Spring hotel, Newville, and Mrs. Mary Cross, of Shippensburg.

TROLLEY WORK IN THE SPRING

Extension of Line from Hanover to Gettysburg during the Year Forecasted by Hanover Newspaper. The Latest Prediction.

The following encouraging trolley talk comes from the Hanover Record Herald:

The extension of trolley service from Hanover to Gettysburg is being planned by the Hanover and Mechanicsburg Street Railway Company, it is learned from a source entitled to be prepared and it is believed to be likely that the project will be started in the spring. Another branch to New Oxford, Littlestown and Taneytown, it also have been proposed.

The fact that surveys have been at work in that section for some time gives rise to the report that the Hanover Railways Company intending to lines from Hanover to Gettysburg, but the report was denied.

That the Hanover and Mechanicsburg company is considering the matter is hardly considering the Gettysburg and the New Oxford branches, and the work already done in the interest of the proposed lines.

It is generally agreed that the trolley line to Gettysburg will be built, but not for distant future as it is also believed that the Gettysburg company will be connected by trolley to Baltimore and Washington ere long.

The Hanover and Mechanicsburg company may not extend their line to Gettysburg, but it is believed that it will, in some way acquire the system of the Hanover and Baltimore Electric Company.

LARGE EXCURSION

Gas bundred and forty three tickets were sold by the Gettysburg agent here for the excursion to Baltimore run by the Baltimore Conference Sunday School and Christian Endeavor Union. Among those who went from here were the following: Dr. and Mrs. George A. Lippy, Mrs. Mary Lippy second, Charles Kaspar, Mr and Mrs John Lady, Mrs. Wright and Miss Shaylaugh, Annie e Wolfert, R. C. Wright and wife, Mrs. Jacob Hoffman, D. Arner, T. J. Wischmeyer, W. E. Wischmeyer, Mrs. Mary Wischmeyer, Mr and Mrs Jos F Kindle Prof. Frederick Fahrney, Mrs. Mary Fahrney, Dorthea, John Bill, Sec. Andrew Fahrney, Mrs. Mary Fahrney second, Frank and family, Miss Louise Shilling, Miss Mary Shilling, Miss Mary Stevens, Miss Verna Swartz, Miss Bessie Berger, Miss Ethel Berger, Miss Mary Stevens, Mrs. Guy Farmer, Mrs R A Crouse and family, Mrs. Wm. Crouse and family, William Heiney Frank Garlach, Mrs. E H Wolf nee John Spangler R spangler, Mrs. Mary Spangler, Miss Ethel Miss Helen Kendlehart, Miss Nevin, Miss Gertrude Nevin, Miss Ruth Nevin, Charles Stevens, Miss Ida Gross, Miss Mary Gross, Miss Mary Gross, Jr.

DR. HILDEBRANDS CONDITION

Dr. Hildebrand, of this town is injured at Sugleyville Tuesday is a critical condition, and his death is expected at any moment. On Friday Dr. Edward Biesecker, Dr. Hildebrand's partner, was taken ill, and a former classmate of Dr Hildebrand, visited him and that he found no indication of internal injury. Dr. A. S. Dickson, of Gettysburg, was summoned to the bed side Saturday, and with Dr. Biesecker, Dr. Arendtsville, are still in attendance. Dr. Hildebrand was accompanied by the coroner and physicians to Sugleyville, where he was taken to the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Hoffman, where he was taken to the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Hoffman, where he was taken to the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Hoffman

INSTITUTES FOR COUNTY FARMERS

Good Roads, Poultrykeeping and Arboriculture Places where Farmers' Institutes will be Held Next Week Those in Charge.

Under the auspices of the State Department of Agriculture three farmers' institutes will be held in Athens county next week, the meetings being held in Red Men's hall, New Berlin, Monday and Tuesday; in Odd Fellows' Hall, Fairfield, Wednesday and Thursday and in the New Hall at Amesville, Friday and Saturday.

The following speakers have been engaged for the meetings, D. E. Murray, Canton; Prof. Frank Smith, Mansfield; York W. L. Avery, New Intelligencer; Sam Phillips Thomas, Philadelphia. Numerous topics relating to agriculture and to horticulture will be discussed by these persons sent out by the state and opportunity will be given to ask questions and to take part in the discussions. Miss Thomas' talks will be along personal lines and will prove most entertaining and instructive.

Although these institutes are designed and conducted for the education and advantage of farmers, yet all who are interested are invited to attend and take part in the discussions.

At East Berlin A. I. Weidner will preside and H. E. Serff will be the secretary. The address of welcome will be made by Prof. J. W. Scherer. The local committee on arrangements will be H. H. Jacobs, H. E. Serff, J. B. Martin, H. A. Jacobs, Daniel Shumaker, Henry Seeley, Peter Smith, M. J. Gergard.

At Fairfield J. U. Neely will preside and Henry Low will act as secretary. Mr. Neely will make the address of welcome and following will compose the local committee, Arthur Hanson, John Lewellen, Gilbert Pontker, C. S. Rice, Harold, Calvin Carey, Lehman Stine, David Weaver, William W. Boyer.

At each place there will be five meetings, morning and afternoon the first day, and morning, afternoon and evening the second day.

ONLY FALL

Mrs. Albert Dillman, of South Hughes street, is suffering from a painful bruise and sprains as the result of a fall at her home.

THEATRICOURS OF GETTYSBURG

Will you help to arrange to run a special train from Hanover Junction to Gettysburg on Wednesday, February 14, at 11.30 p. m. to give every one a chance to see "The Man on the Box" at the New Colonial Theatre (formerly the Hanover Opera House)? This elegant company has been secured by Manager W. A. Hollenbaugh to open the theatre and by his management will be glad to endeavor to afford its native townspeople a chance to enjoy a first class play above and enjoy a little trip to Hanover. If this meets with your approval call home soon. Monday, February 12, at the Western Maryland ticket office and consult the agent with the agent, and if our hundred tickets at fifty cents each are sold the train will be run. The guarantee is $75.00 but only one hundred tickets will be required to run the train. Manager Hollenbaugh will furnish the car. The prizes to the show will be very attractive. Reserved seats will be 50 and 75 cents and a few at $1.00. The balcony will be 25 cents and the gallery 25 cents. The subscription list will close Monday at noon. All advance reserving fifty cents will receive their tickets by calling at the ticket office any time on Tuesday. The sale will be good on train leaving Gettysburg Wednesday, Feb. 14 at 4.15 and returning on special at 11.30 p. m.

STATE 43, GETTYSBURG 14

Penn State defeated tastyspring in a fast game at State College Thursday by the score of 43 to 14. The home team was able to tally many points through the all around fine work of Park, Shore and Harte. The visitors were unable to score a field goal until the second half, due to the fine defense work of the quintet.

WILL WIRE ORPHANAGE

The Southern Electric Company, of Hanover, has secured the contract to wire the buildings of the Hoffman Orphanage, of the Reformed Church, at Gettysburg.

TO BOARDING HOUSE KEEPERS

All those who wish to take boarders and lodgers at the time of the O. A. B. Encampment in June are requested to report the number of guests they can entertain to W. T. Ziegler.

Oliver Typewriter for sale cheap, Good as new. Cash or easy payments. Call or write at Statler's, 208 Gettysburg, Carrie W. Lease.

BOILERVILLE ENTERTAINMENT COMING

The first number of the Biglerville entertainment course will be a musicale by the combined singing classes of Biglerville, Arendtsville and Flohr's and Bender's churches consisting of over 200 voices. Orville Ott, of Gettysburg College, will give readings and the Biglerville band will furnish music. Saturday, March 2, Dr. Conwell C. Ellis, will lecture and about the middle of March there will be a play given by home talent and Miss Jeanette Stroomb of Philadelphia will appear early in April.

The new hall in the Thomas Brotherline building has been completed and is one of the nicest and best equipped halls in the county. It has a seating capacity of 600, a stage large enough to accommodate over 200 people. The building is equipped with electric light and steam heat.

JOHN M. GULDEN

John M. Gulden died on Thursday morning at 5 o'clock from gangrene at the home of his son-in-law, Noah S. Gulden, on route 4, York Springs, between York Springs and Mount Holly Springs. He was aged 83 years, 2 months and 3 days. He was 111 for several months.

He leaves the following children, John S Gulden, of near Gettysburg; Mrs. Mary Wagner, of York; George A. Gulden, of Boiling Springs; Jesse D. Gulden, of Hunters Run; and Noah S. Gulden, with whom he lived. He also leaves fifteen grand children and thirteen great grandchildren.

Funeral at his o'clock Saturday morning with services and interment at Mount Zion by Rev. Mr. Fields of Conn church, Gettysv. All friends invited.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER

C. E. Pearson has effected the sale of the property of Dennis Dean Plaset, situated near York Springs, and owned by Mrs. Mary Myers, in Reading township. Also the sale of about four acres of land adjoining the Myers property from Adam Kimmel to Dennis Plaset

KEENE COMING

Cincinnati, Ohio, Post Herald: "Keene, the magician, at the opera house last night, put up the best show that has been seen here in the opera season. His tricks were new and his stage presence all that could be desired."

Special Cut-Price Sale

OYSTERS FISH OYSTERS

Friday and Saturday only

SAINT PACKETT Extra Selects, the regular 50 cent kind 35 cents. All Sold. 4 for. for 25 cents.

"BUMBAUGH"
"On The Square"

C. W. Weaver & Son G. W. Weaver & Son
The Leaders

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Ladies' & Children's Coats
At Exactly
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Balance of This Winter's Stock
Still a fair assortment
Plush.—Caraculs and Black and Fancy Coats, to be sold at once, at a money saving price seldom to be had.

Also about
30 Cloth Coats
accumulations of several seasons, mostly Tan Kerseys, at
$2.98 to $3.98 were $10.00 to $20.00.

MISS DOROTHY ARNOLD.

Strangely Missing Heiress Who Was Again Reported Found.

BOY ON SLED SCOUTS DOWN SCENIC RAILWAY

Unable to Keep on Rail's He Falls 35 Feet.

Philadelphia, Feb. 8 — The dare-devilism of youth resulted in twelve-year-old Raymond Boles at Cresmont, a suburban borough, on the Main Line, from a height of thirty-five feet, yesterday afternoon. The boy, with three companions, was sliding on a steep railroad trestle, and causing concussion of the brain and a fractured skull.

The accident happened at the Mill Creek park. The boy is now in the Jewish hospital in a dying condition.

The mountain scenic railway in the park was constructed by residents of the section. The park has only a few patrolmen in the winter, and the people of the section are wont to play within the enclosure.

While a number of them were hurling their sleds down the steep hill-road that some of the sharp "dips" in the construction of the railway were covered with snow and would afford thrilling rides.

Carefully at the top of the hill the boys would lie on the top of the bobs. Then they would start down the road. At the bottom it was seen that a snow drift, still unmelted, had caused them to coast off to the level ground. The sleds began to go to one side and to front grass.

Little Raymond stepped forward with his sled. Carefully he arranged himself for the coasting ride, and then with a whoop he was off. Faster and faster went the sled down the incurved front height. Then the speed became too great and the sled began its experience difficulty in keeping his speeding car on the rails.

It slewed over to one side, struck the guard-rail and broke. Some of his companions declared in their stories to the police that several boys pushed the child and his sled shot out over the railing. He fell to the ground below the railway sight, and landed on his head three times the sled and the boy turning in the air. Then through the air finally striking the ground a short distance apart. He was rushed to the hospital in a trolley car.

INJURED BY WIFE'S HAT PIN

Protruding Stiletto Entered Man's Abdomen While Riding Car.

Chester, Pa., Feb. 4.—Thomas Fenton went to the assault at his home and to secure his overcoat, when a large protruding from his wife's hat pin penetrated his abdomen and broke off.

He walked downstairs and to his home before the pain distressed him, when he fainted. He was taken to the house in the hallway and was soon surrounded by a large crowd. The police patrol, where the piece of metal was removed.

The physicians there said that if the pin had gone a quarter of a short hospital it would have caused a fatal hemorrhage.

DOCTOR A SUICIDE

Daughter Fights in Vain to Prevent Fatal Dose.

Connellsville, Pa., Feb. 8.—Dr. Harry Atkinson, prominent young physician and blind himself in the practice of medicine for twelve years, killed himself Monday morning. Mary Alice Atkinson, who fought for

Dr. Atkinson had been ill for several months and it is believed that the day the physician took the carbolic acid he was worried at his inability to practice, and the fact that he could not see the operator, but he

Baby Smith's 26 Lives Lost.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Feb. 5.—Peace was brought by the miserable Mormons of Nanticoke, who have been living in a shanty Turtle, with the loss of twenty-six lives. Among those whom were one of Andrew Leland, in the New Hampshire grove, in a heavy rain on Jan. 6.

Mississippa Two Weeks and Dies.

Lebanon, Pa., Feb. 5.—After living two weeks almost continuously for two days and nights, Mississippa Smith, aged 26, died here from exhaustion, physicians having been unable to relieve her.

EDWIN HAWLEY DIED INTESTATE

Cost-Off Nephew Will Share in $40,000,000 Estate.

HOUSEKEEPER PROVIDED FOR

Poor Relatives Whom Railroad Magnate Has Befriended Will Receive Legacies Affair Becomes Millionaires.

New York, Feb. 5.—John B. Hawley, brief, attorney for the heirs of Edwin Hawley, the railroad magnate, who died an entire estimated at $40,000,000 and $45,000,000, gave out a statement in which he said that the estate is not dead intestate and that the great amount of collateral securities and other property he left would be divided among his relatives, friends, fellows and employees, according to the terms of the will of the late head of the New York.

Miss Margaret Cameron, who was of Mr. Hawley's housekeeper and trustee for many years at his Long Island estate at Lawrence, called at the offices of John B. Stanchfield, attorney for the late Hawley, and it was said that he left Mr. Stanchfield was asked if any provision would be made for Miss Cameron said that Walter B. Cooper, executor of the will, and Mr. Stanchfield and communications with Miss Cameron in regard to what was to be provided for.

Mr. Stanchfield declined to the direction of Mr. Stanchfield and to Mr. Cooper's attorney.

"Is there any truth in a rumor that Mrs. Hawley left $1,000,000?" Mr. Stanchfield was asked.

"I will not answer that question," replied Miss Cameron.

Edwin Hawley, a nephew of Edwin Hawley, who had been an outcast from the family for more than twenty years, was destitute a few days before the death of his uncle, but by the certain heir of between two million and three million dollars. Other collateral holders forty million dollars each.

Edwin Hawley was one of the big brokerage firm of Atwood, Violet & Co., to borrow a small sum of money to work shortly before his uncle, Edwin Hawley, died.

He asked to see Richard Trench-ard, a partner in the firm. "I was twenty years ago was a failure clerk with no job," he explained to the office boy sent in.

"I was down and out and cannot even see a meal ahead," said Crandell to Trenchard. "I am not asking to see me, if possible, get me some work to do."

Mr. Throckmorton handed over the card to Trenchard, who had never met the nephew of his partner, but had known Edwin Hawley. Crandell said he was in such desperate straits that he would do anything, and Mr. Throckmorton suggested that he see Mrs. Cornelius Crandell's brother, a Company, whose business is that of a broker, to work there at a salary of about $20 per week.

The break between Edwin Hawley and his relative came in 1884, when Mr. Hawley was assistant traffic manager of the Erie railroad, at a salary of $12,000 a year. Crandell was a brother of the wife of the road master, but was cast off for a time by his family. Mr. Hawley, however, caused Miss McMasters, a sister of Mrs. Crandell, to be employed as a stenographer in the office of the Pittsburg Leader, around the corner from Atwood, Violet & Co.'s office.

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ROOSEVELT WON'T DESERT

Says Progressives Will "Find Me Fighting Side by Side with Them."

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5 CATS CO-RESPONDENTS

Peaceful Days They Were No Wife's Love.

Philadelphia, Feb. 5.—Nine cats have broken up a home and driven a man into the divorce court.

The story of the despicable cats was told in court in counts pleas of Frederick Voss, who sought a divorce from his wife, Elizabeth. The day after hearing of the case, granted the divorce decree, Voss and his fiancee, Berthier Mrs. Voss nor the cats were in court to contest the charges.

Voss told how he was married to his wife in 1907, and for a while all was happy in the family. He said he had a number of cats and that he found that they were becoming a source of annoyance to his wife and even her love from him. He said that his wife would not allow him to feed the cats inside a pie of the house and that he was compelled to do the feeding in the barn.

He said that he would have loved to drown the cats, but his wife would not permit it. Then one more blow he threatened to do violence to the fe-line pets. Then his wife became angry with several

"I was told me if I did not like the cats I could get out," he explained.

TAFT SURE HE CAN WIN AGAINST ANY ONE

Confident He Will Defeat Any Democrat Named.

Washington, Feb. 5.—President Taft is confident of winning a renomination and re-election, and is equally confident of election whether any certain Democrat is named or not, it is said here.

This was asserted by one of the President's friends who has been billed with Mr. Taft the president in report. This friend says that he believed that he could defeat any man the Democrats might name for president. He is also said to have amplified his statement that he believed that Taft could keep him out of the contest for the Republican nomination, leaving no doubt in the mind of his visitor that he proposed to be a candidate and that he expected to win in the election.

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THINK SISTERS WERE SLAIN

Bodies of Aged Spinsters Found in Ruins of Their Farm House.

Cape Charles, Va., Feb. 5.—Mary and Kate Tunnell, the two aged spinster sisters who lived alone on a farm situated in their home in the little village of Nassawadox, were murdered and burned by the police here last night. Their bodies were found in the ruins of their home, which had been burned to the floor and the bones set on fire.

The two women conducted an extensive farm for a number of years and were considered well-to-do. They kept their money and valuables hidden about the premises. An considerable amount of silverware, brica-brac and other valuables are missing.

American Mail Bags Stolen.

Naples, Feb. 5.—Four mail bags, believed to have been stolen from the American consulate here, containing mail and remittances, from the steamer Canopic, another liner for families in Sicily, valued at $100,000, disappeared from the Post Office last Monday and no trace of them can be found. It is believed that the bags were taken from the mail boat Prince.

Wives Off to Kentucky.

Philadelphia, Feb. 5. — Governor Wilson, of New Jersey, must two wives to Kentucky to testify in a case on trade treaties between the two states, according to speech, to President, Kentucky, Governor Wilson, Governor Wilson. Wife is Philadelphia the governor's wife, Thomas H. Kennard of the Wilson governor in Texas.

GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA — FLOUR quiet; winter, clear, $4.25@4.40; city mills, $4.60@4.75; rye, $4.25@4.30 per barrel.

WHEAT firm; No. 2 red, 97¼c@97½; No. 2 red, May, 97½c@98c; No. 2 red, July, 91½c@92c.

CORN firm; No. 2 white, 59@60c; No. 2 yellow, 59@60c; No. 2 mixed, 58@59c.

OATS firm; No. 2 white, 39@40c; lower grades, 38@39c.

HAY firm; selected, $20@21; No. 1 timothy, $19@20.

BUTTER firm; fancy, $1.10@1.12 per pound.

EGGS firm; fancy, $1.10@1.12 per dozen.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURG (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE steady; prime, $6.40@6.60; choice, $6.10@6.30; prime wethers, $5.75@6.00; good mixed, $5.50@5.75; fair mixed, $5.25@5.50; calves, $8.50@9.00.

HOGS active; prime, $6.60@6.65; mixed, $6.60@6.65; heavies, $6.50@6.60; pigs, $6.60@6.65; roughs, $5.75@6.00; stags, $4.50@5.00; dairies, $6.60@6.65.

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